

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of : Docket: Nut-0003  
Hamman et al. : February 2, 2003  
Serial No. 09/852,182 : Art Unit: 1614  
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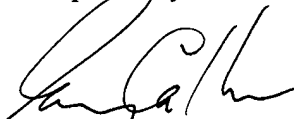
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir/Madam:

The undersigned Attorney for Applicants hereby requests a three (3) month Extension of time, to expire February 3, 2003, in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 2, 2002.

Enclosed please find a check no. # 1644 for the required fee \$ 465<sup>00</sup>. (Two additional copies of this sheet are enclosed.)

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